Q57646 PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

in re application of

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LAMINATE FOR CONTAINER AND CONTAINER FOR ADSORBENT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

For:

In response to the Office Action dated November 5, 2001, please amend the above-

identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claim 1 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please enter the following amended claims:

2. (Amended) A laminate according to claim 3, wherein said ultra high molecular weight

polyolefin porous film is an ultra high molecular weight polyethylene porous film.

3. (Amended) A laminate for forming a space to hold an adsorbent, which comprises an

ultra high molecular weight polyolefin porous film and a polytetrafluorethylene porous film,

wherein said ultra high molecular weight polyolefin porous film has a structure in which

ultra high molecular weight polyolefin particles are linked together, forming pores among them.